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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR, ENRG, OPEC, XF, US, SA

SUBJ: REPORT THAT SAUDIS PREPARED TO CONFORM TO OPEC ELEVEN

PRICE INCREASE BECAUSE OF US DELAY ON MIDEAST PEACE INITIATIVE

1. WE HAVE BEEN INFORMED THAT REPORT
OUTLINED BELOW IS CIRCUL-
ATING IN OFFICIAL CIRCLES HERE, AND ARE PASSING IT ON FOR WHATEVER
IT IS WORTH.

2. ACCORDING REPORT, SAUDIS TOOK FIVE PERCENT PRICE INCREASE
STAND AT DOHA OPEC MINISTERIAL IN RETURN FOR "PROMISE" FROM
PRESIDENT CARTER THAT NEW ADMINISTRATION WOULD UNDERTAKE SERIOUS
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MIDEAST PEACE INITIATIVE "BEFORE MARCH 1977". HOWEVER, SAUDIS
HAVE BEEN ADVISED RECENTLY BY PRESIDENT CARTER THAT U.S. WOULD
NOT BE ABLE TO UNDERTAKE SERIOUS PEACE EFFORT UNTIL "END
OF 1977". THEREFORE, SAUDIS WERE PRESENTLY CONSIDERING HIKING
THEIR OIL PRICES TEN PERCENT PLUS FIVE PERCENT IN CONFORMITY
WITH ACTION OF OPEC ELEVEN. GOQ REPORTEDLY HAS BEEN FULLY
INFORMED BY SAUDIS ON SITUATION.

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